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## **Abstract**

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### District 4 Upland

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### 1974 Procedure

Producers of corn seed and Iowa State University were eligible to enter varieties in the Iowa Corn Yield Test. Each producer was allowed a maximum of nine entries per district. All entries had to be available in a quantity of at least 10 bushels.

One-hundred varieties were compared in this test. They made up approximately 45 percent of the planted acreage in the district, according to a survey of Iowa corn growers in 1974. Twenty-four of the varieties were determined to be widely grown and were entered by Iowa State University. Varieties were considered widely grown if they were planted on 0.62 percent or more of the corn acreage in the district according to the 1973 survey of Iowa corn growers. Iowa State University entered a maximum of five widely grown varieties of any given brand. These entries were given priority over the remaining 76 entries made by seed producers.

Each entry was replicated four times in 4-row plots at rates of 20,200 and 25,850 kernels per acre at each location. All locations were machine-planted. The center two rows of each plot were harvested with a corn combine. No gleanings or dropped ears were included in the yield data. A moisture determination was made from each plot, and yields were corrected to 15.5-percent moisture for shelled corn.

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### How Information Is Presented

The data presented are averages of two locations in 1972 and 1973 and of one location in 1974. Yield in bushels per acre and percentages of moisture, root lodging, stalk lodging, dropped ears, and stand are shown for all varieties tested in 1974 and for varieties tested in 1972 and 1973 that were in the 1974 test.

### Interpretation of Results

Yield differences due to variation in soil, fertility, moisture availability, insect infestation, and diseases, plus any variation due to planting and harvesting techniques, are identified through statistical analysis. The LSD values shown in tables 1 and 2 represent, in bushels per acre, the amounts of yield variation that could be due to variations in the factors just mentioned. In comparing varieties, yield differences greater than the LSD value can be attributed to genetic differences in the yield potential of these varieties; yield differences less than the LSD value are not statistically different and could have been due to other factors.

Grain moistures shown in tables 1 and 2 are indicators of maturity and natural drying rate. Maturity of varieties entered generally ranged from early to full season. Yield comparisons should be made among varieties of similar maturity.

The performance of selected varieties may be compared between moderate and high populations. An increase in yield from the moderate to the high-population level indicates that the variety could be planted at the higher planting rate for best performance. Some varieties seem to have best yields and less stalk lodging at the lower population. It is important to select varieties having stable performance over a range of environmental conditions. High yields for 2 or more consecutive years indicate stable performance. Supplemental yield and agronomic information about specific varieties may be obtained from your seed corn dealers and from neighbors who have grown these varieties.

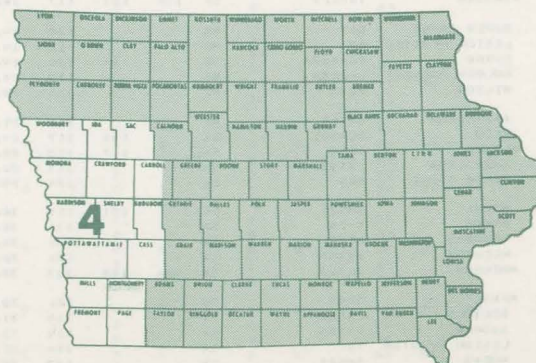




TABLE 1. AVERAGE PERFORMANCE OF VARIETIES TESTED IN DISTRICT 40.  
MODERATE POPULATION - 20,200 PLANTING RATE. LSD FOR 1974 YIELD IN BUSHELS IS 14.

BRAND	VARIETY	CROSS	YIELD BU./A			MOISTURE PCT.			ROOT LODGING PCT.			STALK LODGING PCT.			DROPPED EARS PCT.			STAND PCT.		
			1972	1973	1974	1974	1973	1972	1974	1973	1972	1974	1973	1972	1974	1973	1972	1974	1973	1972
*MOEWS	SM220	SX			90	21.3			3			0			0			77		
FUNKS	G4404	SX		144	118	22.4	16.0		0	0		4			1	0		91	97	
FUNKS	G4321	SX			114	23.4			20			1			0			86		
RENK	RK66	SX			125	24.3			4			0			2			90		
CURRY	SC-145	SX			124	24.4			7			0			3			80		
WILSON	2317	MS		145	103	24.4	17.5		2	1		0	2		3	1		83	82	
*TROJAN	TXS111	SX	141		152	109	24.6	18.2	25.1	1	1	18	2	2	1	4	0	87	88	89
ACCO	UC3301	SX			146	134	24.6	17.1		4	0		1	1		0	0	88	90	
*DEKALB	XL45A	SX			132	112	24.7	18.1		7	0		1	3		0	1	85	91	
WILSON	1017	SX	144		142	114	24.8	18.7	24.6	2	0	2	0	4	4	1	0	86	82	93
GOLDEN HARVEST	H-2450	SX			125		24.8			11			0			0		92		
RENK	RK44	SX		128	126	24.9	17.1		12	1		0	3		0	0		94	86	
CARGILL	B90	SX			112		24.9		14			2			0			81		
NC+	57	SX			112		25.0		3			1			2			81		
*LESTER PFISTER	29	SX			98		25.0		1			1			1			81		
SUPER CROST	S27	SX			120		25.2			12			0			0		86		
SUPER CROST	4242	MS			106		25.2		22			0				0		84		
*TROJAN	TXS102	SX	150		135		25.2	17.6	24.6	10	0	14	0	2	3	0	0	83	88	95
LYNKS	4200	SX			123		25.3		9			1			0			91		
HULTING	X9780	3X		128	117		25.4	19.6		11	0		1	5		0	0	87	86	
HULTING	X770	SX		134	118		25.5	18.0		29	0		0	1		0	1	83	76	
*NORTHROP KING	PX610A	3X			105		25.5		15			1			0			86		
PAG	SX397	SX			133		25.6		4			0			0			88		
*FUNKS	G4444	SX	150		142		25.7	17.1	24.4	14	0	10	1	3	3	0	0	82	91	95
*PIONEER	3517	MS	144		143		25.9	18.9	26.8	2	0	2	0	1	1	0	1	86	95	93
*NORTHROP KING	PX50A	SX	146		144		26.0	17.5	24.8	19	0	4	2	3	5	0	0	86	89	96
MCCURDY	MSX60	SX			124		26.0		4			0			2			87		
FEDERAL	FX34	MS			102		26.0		20			0			0			98		
SOKOTA	MS-88	MS			109		26.1		11			1			0			85		
*PIONEER	3390	MS	136		145		26.1	17.5	25.7	1	0	11	0	1	3	0	0	87	94	91
*PIONEER	3388	MS	136		149		26.2	19.7	27.4	8	1	11	0	1	1	0	0	89	88	93
LYNKS	4310	SX	145		148		26.4	18.5	25.9	4	0	21	0	3	5	0	0	91	83	88
CURRY	TC-355	3X			108		26.4		0			0			2			95		
SUPER CROST	5440	SX			121		26.5		0			1			1			87		
FARMERS	2722	SX			111		26.5		1			0			1			72		
*FUNKS	G4465	3X	137		143		26.5	19.2	28.0	23	0	9	1	4	3	0	0	83	87	93
PAG	SX7	SX	145		146		26.6	20.3	26.7	8	0	5	0	2	2	0	0	88	91	92
FONTANELLE	580SC	SX			115		26.6		0			0			2			85		
ASGROW	RK90	SX			122		26.7		1			1			1			83		
EMBRO	X-60	SX			112		26.7		1			0			2			72		
*ASGROW	RX92	SX		147	108		26.7	22.7		0	0		0	3		0	0	90	87	
MCCURDY	MSX84	SX			132		26.8		1			0			4			93		
FEDERAL	FT44	3X		130	101		26.8	19.4		4	1		0	3		0	1	83	84	
MALLISTER	SX7300	SX			128		26.8		0			0			1			89		
ACCO	UC6601	SX		149	106		26.9	19.7		18	2		1	2		0	0	74	92	
GOLDEN HARVEST	H-2500	SX			117		26.9		2			0			2			82		
*ACCO	UC4601	SX	139		133		26.9	21.0	27.8	0	1	7	1	1	5	0	0	81	88	93
O'S GOLD	TX104B	3X			106		26.9		2			0			0			88		
LYNKS	4330	SX			128		27.0		3			0			0			89		
TROJAN	TXS115A	SX			121		27.0		1			0			3			93		
*O'S GOLD	SX5500A	SX		163	120		27.0	19.4		1	1		0	1		3	0	83	87	
NC+	59	SX			103		27.1		3			0			2			86		
FUNKS	G4507	SX			123		27.1		3			0			0			89		
FONTANELLE	611SC	SX			130		27.1		9			0			3			90		
CURRY	TC-346	3X			120		27.2		14			1			0			92		
CURRY	SC-150	SX			119		27.2		2			0			2			82		
NORTHROP KING	PX79	SX			126		27.3		7			0			2			94		
*DEKALB	XL347	3X	133		115		27.3	19.5	27.7	6	0	18	1	3	2	0	0	84	95	
RENK	RK77	SX			114		27.3		2			0			1			93		
WILSON	1800	SX			112		27.4		0			0			1			88		
ACCO	UC3601	SX		149	122		27.4	18.8		7	0		0	2		0	0	83	91	
*PIONEER	3385	MS	143		146		27.5	19.6	26.9	4	0	13	0	0	2	0	0	89	91	90
HULTING	X8775	3X		131	110		27.6	20.0		3	3		0	3		0	0	88	92	
NORTHROP KING	PX74	SX			123		27.6		1			0			1			88		
CARGILL	930	SX		148	122		27.6	18.7		9	0		2	1		0	0	89	88	
*PIONEER	3366	SX		157	118		27.7	18.9		0	0		0	0		3	0	82	88	
CORN KING	1148	SX			128		27.7		7			0			0			84		
*DEKALB	XL64	SX	146		154		27.7	21.1	29.5	5	0	9	0	1	1	0	0	92	97	93
SOKOTA	TS-82	SX			113		27.9		3			0			0			80		
*DEKALB	XL66	SX			119		28.0		14			0			0			93		
WILSON	1040	SX		156	123		28.0	20.2		9	1		1	1		0	0	81	90	
LESTER PFISTER	61	SX			107		28.1		12			0			0			84		
TROJAN	TXS113	SX	150		156		28.5	22.3	29.7	17	1	11	0	2	2	0	0	87	86	93
LYNKS	4350	SX			113		28.7		13			0			3			80		
SOKOTA	SK-90	3X			110		28.9		5			0			0			95		
NORTHROP KING	PX76	SX			110		28.9		8			0			1			88		
GOLDEN HARVEST	H-2595	3X			114		29.0		5			0			1			86		
*O'S GOLD	SK5500	SX	153		155</															



TABLE 2. AVERAGE PERFORMANCE OF VARIETIES TESTED IN DISTRICT 40.  
HIGH POPULATION - 25,850 PLANTING RATE. LSD FOR 1974 YIELD IN BUSHELS IS 15.

BRAND	VARIETY	CROSS	YIELD BU./A			MOISTURE PCT.			ROOT LODGING PCT.			STALK LODGING PCT.			DROPPED EARS PCT.			STAND PCT.		
			1972	1973	1974	1974	1973	1972	1974	1973	1972	1974	1973	1972	1974	1973	1972	1974	1973	1972
*MOEWS FUNKS WILSON WILSON FUNKS	SM220 G4321 2317 1017 G4404	SX MS SX SX SX			106 125 117 101 146	21.5 23.1 23.5 24.1 24.4			5 13 3 2 5			0 0 4 8 1			0 1 3 8 0			84 79 77 86 84		
HULTING RENK CURRY *FUNKS *LESTER PFISTER	X770 RK66 SC-145 G4444 29	SX SX SX SX SX		147	118 126 126 107 99	24.5 24.5 24.7 24.8 24.8	18.6		18 0 4 34 1	1		1 0 0 0 0	2		0 1 0 7 6	0	1	83 82 79 87 85		
*TROJAN *DEKALB LYNKS *PIONEER ACCO	TXS102 XL45A 4330 3517 UC3301	SX SX SX MS SX	157	146 133 125 153 161	120 106 125 119 125	25.0 25.0 25.1 25.2 25.3	17.6 18.7 20.1 20.1 17.5	24.1	15 9 0 4 20	2 0 0 1 1	13 0 0 7 0	0 8 0 1 0	7 0 2 2 2	0 1 0 0 0	1 0 2 0 0	0 1 0 0 0	89 79 87 83 87			
PAG CARGILL SUPER CROST LYNKS FUNKS	SX397 890 4242 4200 G4465	SX SX MS SX 3X			122 111 112 117 119	25.3 25.3 25.3 25.4 25.4			15 16 18 9 19			1 0 1 1 0			0 0 0 0 0			81 77 79 82 82		
NORTHROP KING *TROJAN *PIONEER FEDERAL LYNKS	PX79 TXS111 3390 FX34 4310	SX SX MS MS SX			124 112 131 104 115	25.4 25.4 25.4 25.5 25.6			0 0 3 6 2	0 0 1 2 2		0 13 10 0 1			0 2 3 11 7	0 0 0 0 0	1 0 0 0 0	95 83 84 89 86		
TROJAN *NORTHROP KING NC+ FEDERAL *ASGROW	TXS113 PX50A 57 FT44 RX92	SX SX SX 3X SX	161 160	159 153	119 126 107 108 126	25.6 25.6 25.6 25.7 25.7	22.0 17.8 20.6 19.7 21.8	29.9	8 18 0 3 0	1 0 0 1 1	16 11 0 0 0	0 0 1 1 0	0 2 7 4 5	0 1 0 0 0	4 7 0 0 0	0 1 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	79 85 85 79 91		
*NORTHROP KING *PIONEER SUPER CROST GOLDEN HARVEST PAG	PX610A 3388 S27 H-2450 SX7	3X MS SX SX SX			112 140 121 107 114	25.8 25.9 25.9 25.9 26.0			12 6 13 23 5			0 2 0 0 0			0 1 3 0 2	0 0 0 0 2		78 92 76 83 83		
MCALLISTER ASGROW NC+ SOKOTA EMBRO	SX7300 RX90 59 MS-88 X-60	SX SX SX MS SX			124 117 117 119 123	26.1 26.1 26.1 26.2 26.3			7 4 2 9 0			0 0 0 0 0			0 2 3 0 3			89 92 81 88 77		
CURRY SUPER CROST RENK MCCURDY ACCO	TC-346 S440 RK44 MSX60 UC6601	3X SX SX SX SX			122 114 109 114 112	26.3 26.3 26.4 26.5 26.5			11 1 7 2 24			0 0 1 0 5			0 1 2 0 3	0 1 0 2 0		90 89 83 85 91		
*ACCO CURRY FONTANELLE DEKALB O'S GOLD	UC4601 TC-355 5805C XL347 TX104B	SX 3X SX 3X 3X	129 139	145 130	110 108 115 113 113	26.5 26.5 26.6 26.7 26.9	20.3 20.0	27.6 27.6	9 0 1 7 11	1 0 0 1 0	12 0 0 19 0	1 0 0 3 0	3 5 0 4 0	0 1 3 1 1	5 0 0 0 0	0 1 0 1 0	1 0 0 0 0	81 86 83 68 84		
RENK CURRY GOLDEN HARVEST CARGILL HULTING	RK77 SC-150 H-2595 930 X9780	SX SX 3X SX 3X			116 113 123 135 113	26.9 27.0 27.0 27.0 27.2			6 1 2 9 3			0 0 1 0 1			0 1 0 3 5	1 0 0 0 1		87 83 84 90 86		
LYNKS MCCURDY CORN KING WILSON FUNKS	4350 MSX84 1148 1800 G4507	SX SX SX SX SX			112 109 118 112 119	27.2 27.2 27.2 27.3 27.4			10 2 3 1 1			1 0 0 0 0			0 2 0 0 1	0 2 0 0 0		87 84 86 88 94		
ACCO FONTANELLE *PIONEER FARMERS GOLDEN HARVEST	UC3601 6115C 3366 2722 H-2500	SX SX SX SX SX		151	126 134 118 115 120	27.4 27.4 27.4 27.4 27.4	18.3		22 1 5 9 0	0 0 0 0 0	0 2 0 0 0	0 4 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 1	0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	85 78 77 69 82		
TROJAN *PIONEER WILSON NORTHROP KING HULTING	TXS115A 3385 1040 PX74 X8775	SX MS SX SX 3X			115 112 125 123 106	27.5 27.7 27.9 28.0 28.0			1 2 5 2 9	0 0 6 0 3	0 17 0 0 0	0 2 0 0 7	0 3 0 0 0	0 1 2 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	0 1 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	85 86 76 84 84		
*O'S GOLD *DEKALB WILSON CURRY AMERICANA	SX5500A XL64 2395 SC-160A SXT43	SX SX MS SX MS		167	104 132 124 120 118	28.0 28.1 28.3 28.5 28.5	20.0		1 2 14 18 15	2 0 0 2 0	0 8 0 0 0	0 1 0 2 0	1 6 0 0 0	0 1 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	0 1 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	78 87 89 84 83		
NORTHROP KING SOKOTA *TROJAN AMERICANA *DEKALB	PX76 TS-92 TXS119 TXX93 XL66	SX SX SX 3X SX			128 116 113 112 124	28.7 28.8 28.9 29.0 29.1			15 0 0 6 11			0 1 0 0 0			0 5 7 0 0	0 1 0 0 0	0 0 0 0 0	88 74 87 87 83		
EMBRO LESTER PFISTER LESTER PFISTER NC+ FARMERS	X-74 61 57 61 4589	SX SX MS MS SX			129 121 118 113 134	29.3 29.3 29.3 29.4 29.4			0 15 18 15 0			1 0 0 0 0			0 0 0 3 0	0 0 0 1 1		91 82 93 74 81		
MCCURDY *LYNKS ASGROW GOLDEN HARVEST *O'S GOLD	MSX88 4510 RX100 H-2655 SX5500	SX SX MS MS SX			140 126 124 110 127	29.5 29.5 29.6 29.7 29.7			0 0 26 25 0			0 1 0 1 0			0 2 0 0 3	1 0 0 0 5	0 0 0 0 0	91 72 87 80 78		
SUPER CROST *PAG ACCO SUPER CROST SOKOTA	S67 SX98 UC9301 S85 SK-90	MS SX SX SX 3X			128 135 120 141 117	29.8 30.0 30.1 30.3 30.3			10 1 20 0 0			1 0 3 2 1			0 0 0 1 0	0 0 0 0 0		85 83 87 84 76		
*DEKALB LESTER PFISTER BEEGHLY MOEWS MOEWS	XL72A 76 EX123 SM520 SM622	SX SX SX SX SX	164	144	126 112 101 124 130	30.5 30.6 30.6 31.0 31.5	25.5		0 8 8 17 8	0 0 0 1 0	6 0 0 0 0	0 2 0 3 1	0 3 0 0 0	0 0 0 1 0	0 0 0 0 0	0 1 0 1 0	1 0 0 83 79			
																		90		



## 1974 Field Data

The District 4 Upland test was conducted on farms operated by Clifford Boyer near Silver City in Mills County and Gerald Thiedeman near Westside in Crawford County. The Silver City location was not harvested because of drouth and high temperatures during July. The field data are presented in Table A.

Subsoil moisture was favorable at planting time. Rainfall was above normal during May and August and below normal during June, July, and September. Temperatures were below normal during May, June, August, and September and above normal during July. Yields at the Westside location were about normal for the district.

Table A. Field Data

Thiedeman Farm Marshall silty clay loam			
Fertilizer applied, lbs.	N	P <sub>2</sub> O <sub>5</sub>	K <sub>2</sub> O
Plowdown .....	130	35	--
Starter .....	16	64	32
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>146</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>32</b>
1973 crop .....	Soybeans		
Row width .....	38 inches		
Planting date .....	April 29		
Harvest date .....	Oct. 19		

### District 4 Upland

Designation Identifying Brands in the Yield Test

Designation	Name and Address
*ACCO .....	ACCO Seed Div. of Anderson, Clayton & Co., Belmond, Ia. 50421
Americana .....	Teweles Seed Co., Inc., Msucatine, Ia. 52761
*Asgrow .....	Asgrow Seed Co., Des Moines, Ia. 50310
Beechly .....	Milford Beechly, Pierson, Ia. 51048
Cargill .....	Cargill, Inc., Minneapolis, Minn. 55402
Corn King .....	Malcolm H. Grieve, Pierson, Ia. 51048
Curry .....	Curry Seed Co., Elk Point, S. D. 57025
*DeKalb .....	DeKalb Ag. Research, Inc., Hampton, Ia. 50441
Embro .....	Ramy Seed Co., Mankato, Minn. 56001
Farmers .....	Farmers Hybrid Company, Inc., Hampton, Ia. 50441
Federal .....	Federal Hybrids, Marion, Ia. 52302
Fontanelle .....	Fontanelle, Hybrids, Nickerson, Neb. 68044
*Funks .....	Funk Seeds International, Inc., Bloomington, Ill. 61702
Golden Harvest .....	The J. C. Robinson Seed Co., Waterloo, Neb. 68069
Hulting .....	Hulting Hybrids, Div. of Ferry-Morse, Geneseo, Ill. 61254
*Lester Pfister .....	Pfister Hybrid Corn Co., El Paso, Ill. 61738
Lynks .....	Lynk Bros. & Baird, Inc., Marshalltown, Ia. 51601
McAllister .....	McAllister Seed Farms, Mt. Pleasant, Ia. 52641
McCurdy .....	McCurdy Seed Co., Fremont, Ia. 52561
Moews .....	The Moews Companies, Granville, Ill. 61326
NC+ .....	NC+ Hybrids, Lincoln, Neb. 68504
*Northrup King .....	Northrup King & Co., Minneapolis, Minn. 55413
*O's Gold .....	O's Gold Seed Co., Parkersburg, Ia. 50665
*PAG .....	PAG Seeds, Minneapolis, Minn. 55402
*Pioneer .....	Pioneer Hi-Bred International, Inc., Des Moines, Ia. 50301
Renk .....	Renk Seed Co., Sun Prairie, Wis. 53590
Sokota .....	Sokota Hybrid Producers, Brookings, S.D. 57006
*Trojan .....	Trojan Seed Co., Olivia, Minn. 56277
Wilson .....	Wilson Hybrids, Inc., Harlan, Ia. 51537

\*Widely grown entries made by Iowa State University.

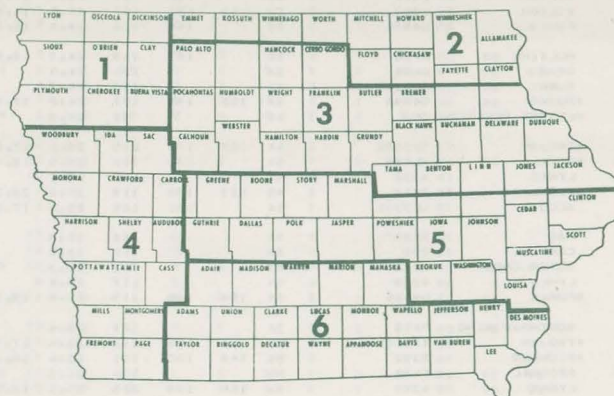


Fig. 1. District arrangement for 1974.

## OTHER REPORTS

Separate reports for variety performance are available for each district shown in fig. 1. These publications are available at your county extension office or from Publications Distribution, Printing and Publications Building, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa 50010.

### The 1974 Iowa Corn Yield Test Report:

Pm-603-1	District 1
Pm-603-2	District 2
Pm-603-3	District 3
Pm-603-4U	District 4 Upland
Pm-603-4B	District 4 Bottomland
Pm-603-5	District 5
Pm-603-6	District 6

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